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### ***CORRECTIONS TO 1999 RESULTS***

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## **PREFACE**

The Fifty-Seventh General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia was dissolved on June 18th, 1999, and election writs were issued the same day. Nomination day was July 13<sup>th</sup>, 1999 and ordinary polling day was July 27<sup>th</sup>, 1999. No candidate being returned by acclamation, a poll was held in all electoral districts.

At the time of dissolution, there were 52 electoral districts. Standings in the House were 13 Progressive Conservatives, 19 Liberals, 19 New Democrats and 1 Independent.

There were 178 candidates nominated. The Liberal, Progressive Conservative and the New Democratic Parties each had one candidate in the 52 electoral districts, the Nova Scotia Party had 17 candidates, and there were 5 Independent candidates. Thirty-six candidates failed to receive 15% of the valid votes cast in their electoral districts and lost their deposits, and received no public funding for their campaign expenses..

There were 638,655 electors registered to vote and 435,065 electors voted. The percentage of electors who voted was 68.12% as compared to 69.47% in 1998, 75.39% in 1993, 75.76% in 1988, 67.52% in 1984, 74.1% in 1981 and 78.23% in 1978.

The 1999 Returns are presented in two volumes: Volume I contains the poll-by-poll results from the General Election and Volume II contains the financial information from the Thirty-Fifth General Election.

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Halifax, Nova Scotia



ELECTION RETURNS, 1999

**RECAPITULATION**

<b>Electoral Districts</b>	No. of Special Polling Stations	No. of Advance Polling Stations	No. of Ordinary Polling Stations	No. of Names on Electors' List	No. of Electors Who Voted	No. of Rejected Ballots	Percentage of Electors Who Voted
Annapolis	1	3	59	13,508	9,318	48	68.98%
Antigonish	1	2	56	13,426	10,429	72	77.68%
Argyle	1	3	26	6,598	5,292	20	80.21%
Bedford-Fall River	1	4	62	17,739	11,524	61	64.96%
Cape Breton Centre	1	3	57	10,580	7,535	62	71.22%
Cape Breton East	1	4	61	12,650	9,322	89	73.69%
Cape Breton North	1	3	67	11,916	8,766	94	73.56%
Cape Breton Nova	1	3	58	9,862	7,546	54	76.52%
Cape Breton South	1	3	47	12,186	8,571	56	70.33%
Cape Breton The Lakes	1	2	45	12,088	8,574	72	70.93%
Cape Breton West	1	4	59	12,531	9,893	65	78.95%
Chester-St. Margaret's	1	4	55	13,095	9,363	101	71.50%
Clare	1	2	30	7,145	6,247	66	87.43%
Colchester North	1	4	47	12,223	8,452	39	69.15%
Colchester-Musquodoboit Valley	2	3	45	12,773	8,144	36	63.76%
Cole Harbour-Eastern Passage	1	5	60	15,731	9,527	51	60.56%
Cumberland North	2	3	61	13,627	8,431	44	61.87%
Cumberland South	1	4	50	10,526	7,513	45	71.38%
Dartmouth-Cole Harbour	1	4	53	13,511	8,379	41	62.02%
Dartmouth East	1	2	31	11,706	8,041	84	68.69%
Dartmouth North	1	2	50	12,653	7,088	32	56.02%

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Dartmouth South	1	2	54	14,393	9,057	68	62.93%
Digby-Annapolis	1	2	44	10,191	6,478	43	63.57%
Eastern Shore	2	3	56	12,076	8,737	47	72.35%
Guysborough-Port Hawkesbury	2	5	68	10,687	7,887	46	73.80%
Halifax Atlantic	1	1	49	13,579	8,870	50	65.32%
Halifax Bedford Basin	1	3	60	17,312	10,620	41	61.34%
Halifax Chebucto	2	3	66	12,961	8,468	86	65.33%
Halifax Citadel	2	2	64	13,694	9,300	89	67.91%
Halifax Fairview	1	2	52	13,302	7,874	55	59.19%
Halifax Needham	1	1	62	12,836	7,936	94	61.83%
Hants East	1	3	52	13,894	9,266	52	66.69%
Hants West	1	4	52	13,727	9,118	63	66.42%
Inverness	3	4	61	11,727	9,129	92	77.85%
Kings North	1	1	46	13,050	8,872	63	67.98%
Kings South	1	1	53	13,580	9,738	68	71.71%
Kings West	1	2	55	13,735	8,225	51	59.88%
Lunenburg	3	2	60	12,989	8,978	62	69.12%
Lunenburg West	1	2	61	13,900	9,401	56	67.63%
Pictou Centre	1	3	61	12,635	8,532	32	67.53%
Pictou East	1	2	42	11,280	8,203	52	72.72%
Pictou West	1	3	39	10,662	8,332	52	78.15%

## ELECTION RETURNS, 1999

## RECAPITULATION

Electoral Districts	No. of Special Polling Stations	No. of Advance Polling Stations	No. of Ordinary Polling Stations	No. of Names on Electors' List	No. of Electors Who Voted	No. of Rejected Ballots	Percentage of Electors Who Voted
Preston	1	1	22	6,169	3,854	49	62.47%
Queens	1	2	47	9,116	6,288	47	68.98%
Richmond	1	2	37	8,121	6,669	64	82.12%
Sackville-Beaver Bank	1	2	51	14,771	8,858	58	59.97%
Sackville-Cobequid	1	2	45	13,329	8,521	59	63.93%
Shelburne	1	3	47	12,112	7,751	33	63.99%
Timberlea-Prospect	1	2	46	14,271	9,347	46	65.50%
Truro-Bible Hill	1	4	66	13,707	8,911	52	65.01%
Victoria	1	2	33	6,310	4,598	23	72.87%
Yarmouth	1	1	51	12,465	9,292	58	74.54%
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>2,681</b>	<b>638,655</b>	<b>435,065</b>	<b>2,983</b>	<b>68.12%</b>

ELECTION RETURNS 1995

SUMMARY, BY ELECTORAL DISTRICT AND PARTY, OF VALID VOTES CAST

Electoral District		Progressive Conservative		Liberal		New Democrats		Nova Scotia Party		Independent Candidate		Votes Rec'd	
Total Valid Votes Cast	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	Candidate
Annapolis	Chipman	4,028	McNeil	3,265	Cishane	1,708	Mann	271				9,270	
Antigonish	MacIsaac	4,070	Fraser	4,058	Long	2,229	Harris	40				10,387	
Argyle	LeBlanc	4,060	Kravis	820	Tucker	343						5,272	
Bedford - Fall River	Christie	6,566	St-Amard	2,197	Earle	2,700						11,483	
Cape Breton Centre	Morrissey	446	Marsh Deroue	2,985	Corbett	4,042						7,473	
Cape Breton East	Kerr	1,043	Wilson	3,704	Saccary	3,699						8,235	
Cape Breton North	Johnston	1,863	MacElliott	4,222	MacKinnon	2,587						6,672	
Derrington	Derrington	235	MacDonald	4,004	Grose	3,253						7,402	
Lewis	Lewis	708	MacDonald	5,386	Cusack	2,451						8,610	
Lengy	Lengy	1,173	Boudreau	3,715	MacDonald	3,614						8,502	
Boudreau	Boudreau	375	MacKinnon	5,084	Slaney	3,359						9,828	
Chalainey	Chalainey	4,193	Willis Duerden	1,971	Blitter - Suemmann	3,068						9,282	
Comeau	Comeau	2,355	Gaudet	2,708	Melanson	1,078	Boyer	43				6,181	
Taylor	Stacey	5,465	Davidson	1,052	Marshall	1,591						8,108	
Langille	Langille	3,728	MacEachern	2,274	Deveaux	2,411						8,413	
Cooper Mont	Cooper Mont	3,539	MacEachern	2,216	Wilson	3,721						9,470	
Fage	Fage	5,936	Langle	1,985	MacKee	858						8,387	
Soon	Soon	5,527	Hanson	1,000	Dexter	941	Peacock	274				7,488	
Frampton	Frampton	2,750	Foy	2,150	Henderson	3,164						8,358	
Dagen	Dagen	2,710	Cameron	2,975	Pye	3,105	Livingstone	145				7,987	
MacKey	MacKey	2,060	Goodyer	1,746	Chard	3,011						7,086	
Olive	Olive	3,656	O'Neil	2,382	Downes	1,105						8,989	
Baisley	Baisley	3,780	Colewell	2,695	Tragakis	1,970						8,435	
Dooke	Dooke	3,637	White	3,151	Panagopoulos	1,267						8,690	
Chisholm	Chisholm	3,285	Heinrich	1,458	Chiasholm	4,288						7,841	
Cooke	Cooke	3,794	Hardiman	2,935	Gaum	2,940	Roddan	68				8,820	
McGrath	McGrath	4,489	Trainor	2,286	Eptein	3,159	Livey					10,578	
Phillips	Phillips	2,611	Delessi	2,752	Delessi	2,958	Stevens					8,382	
Purves	Purves	3,392	Nutash	1,686	O'Connell	52	Patterson	52				9,211	
Swamy	Swamy	2,117	Rogers	1,970	MacDonald	3,915	Alexander					7,810	
Carver	Carver	2,185	Stewart	3,079	MacDonald	3,525	Higgins					8,670	
Marshall	Marshall	3,079	Robertson	5,276	MacDonald	4,288						7,842	
Russell	Russell	5,276	MacDonald	4,321	DeNeill	2,150						9,214	
MacDonald	MacDonald	3,878	Hill	3,213	Devestal	1,622						9,058	
Parent	Parent	3,890	Harrison	3,211	Kelly	1,982						9,037	
Horse	Horse	4,033	Clarke	2,346	Hustvedt	1,982	Adams	160				8,174	
Carey	Carey	4,590	O'Connor	5,276	Hustvedt	1,845						8,916	
Baker	Baker	3,251	Downe	2,015	Terri	1,764						9,345	
Sweeny	Sweeny	5,479	Maxwell	3,549	Yipp	1,612						8,500	
Hamm	Hamm	4,478	MacDonald	1,975	McNeil	2,513						8,151	
DaViole	DaViole	4,321	Hill	3,211	DeNeill	2,587						8,809	
Kings North	Kings North	3,890	Harrison	3,211	Adams	1,622						8,670	
Kings South	Kings South	4,033	Clarke	2,346	Atwell	1,490						8,280	
Kings West	Kings West	4,590	O'Connor	5,276	Wiles	1,498						3,808	
Lunenburg	Lunenburg	3,251	Downe	2,015	Conrad	3,105						8,241	
West	West	5,479	Maxwell	1,771	Godin	2,278						8,608	
Inverness	Inverness	4,478	MacDonald	1,285	Thompson	2,388						8,800	
Pictou Centre	Pictou Centre	4,321	Hill	3,211	Parker	2,955						8,280	
Pictou East	Pictou East	3,890	Harrison	3,211	Arwell	2,109						8,280	
Preston	Preston	4,033	Clarke	2,346	Thomas	509						8,174	
Hendbee	Hendbee	4,590	O'Connor	5,276	Whitby	1,286						8,916	
Marshall	Marshall	3,447	Downe	2,015	Swanson	3,105						9,345	
Queens	Queens	3,447	Maxwell	1,771	Conrad	2,278						8,500	
Richmond	Richmond	1,905	MacDonald	1,285	Godin	2,388						8,280	
Sackville - Beaver Bank	Sackville - Beaver Bank	3,573	Hill	3,211	Parker	2,955						8,280	
Sackville - Gobequid	Sackville - Gobequid	2,440	Harrison	3,211	Arwell	1,490						8,482	

# ELECTION RETURNS, 1999

SUMMARY, BY ELECTORAL DISTRICT AND PARTY, OF VALID VOTES CAST

Electoral District	Progressive Conservative		Liberal		New Democrats		Nova Scotia Party		Independent		Total Valid Votes Cast
	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	Candidate	Votes Rec'd	
Sheiburne	O'Donnell	3,207	Huskisson	3,208	Nickerson	1,308	Burnsleas	174			
Timberlea - Prospect	Fialick	2,600	Brown	2,171	Estabrooks	4,358					7,719
Tiuro - Bible Hill	Mur	4,747	Graham	1,613	Scammell	2,499					9,301
Victoria	Curtis - Steele	1,174	McAskill	2,253	Mackergan	772					8,489
Yarmouth	Hurlbut	3,141	Dekille	2,605	Deveau	3,079	Hurlbut	409	MacLeod	137	4,513
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>169,383</b>		<b>128,795</b>		<b>129,474</b>		<b>409</b>		<b>220</b>	<b>9,394</b>
	Percentage	39.20	Percentage	29.81	Percentage	29.97	Percentage	0.73	Percentage	0.73	Percentage 0.30
											432,083

## SUMMARY, BY POLITICAL AFFILIATION OF VALID VOTES CAST AND CANDIDATES ELECTED

## PROVINCIAL GENERAL ELECTIONS, 1960-1999

Election	Liberal		New Democratic Party		Progressive Conservative Party		Independent		Labor Party		Natural Law Party		Nova Scotia Party		Total			
			Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	Candidates	
	Votes	Elected	Votes	Elected	Votes	Elected	Votes	Elected	Votes	Elected	Votes	Elected	Votes	Elected	Votes	Elected	Votes	
1960	147,951	15	31,036	1	168,023	27	650	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	347,960	43
1963	134,873	4	14,076	-	191,128	39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	340,077	43
1967	142,945	6	17,873	-	180,498	40	498	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	341,814	46
1970	174,943	23	25,259	2	177,986	21	1,464	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	379,652	46
1974	206,648	31	55,902	3	166,388	12	2,220	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	431,158	46
1978	175,218	17	63,979	4	203,500	31	2,008	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	444,705	52
1981	139,604	13	76,289	1	200,228	37	5,002	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	421,123	52
1984	129,310	6	65,876	3	209,298	42	610	-	8,322	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	413,436	52
1988	186,007	21	74,078	2	204,150	28	5,638	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	469,833	52
1993	247,293	40	86,743	3	152,163	9	5,758	-	-	1,047	-	-	-	-	-	-	489,829	52
1996	158,360	19	155,176	19	113,540	14	1,325	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	445,606	52
1999	128,795	11	129,474	11	169,181	30	1278	-	-	-	-	-	31,53	-	-	-	432,083	52

ELECTION RETURNS, 1999

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS - PROVINCIAL GENERAL ELECTIONS -- 1960-1999

General Election	Number of Electoral Districts	Number of Legislature Members	Number of Registered Electors	Number of Electors Who Voted	Percentage of Electors Who Voted	Number of Rejected Ballots	Number of Special Polling Stations	Number of Electors Who Voted at Special Polls	Number of Advance Polling Stations	Number of Electors Who Voted At Advance Polls	Number of Ordinary Polling Stations
1960	40	43	368,805	318,900	82.02	1,596	-	-	48	4,545	1,633
1963	10	43	400,078	311,562	77.87	1,997	-	-	56	7,465	1,909
1967	43	46	405,704	312,647	77.00	2,703	-	-	62	8,503	2,037
1970	43	46	453,727	350,852	77.32	3,704	-	-	67	10,739	2,149
1974	43	46	507,190	395,026	77.89	3,205	-	-	81	12,412	2,389
1978	50	52	542,547	424,410	78.23	2,739	-	-	98	16,847	2,635
1981	52	52	570,907	423,526	74.17	2,403	54	3,059	102	15,333	2,532
1984	52	52	614,899	415,160	67.52	1,724	55	2,685	119	15,232	2,633
1988	52	52	623,506	472,437	75.76	2,604	55	6,471	116	22,569	2,722
1992	52	52	651,200	493,239	75.39	3,410	60	6,739	126	22,200	2,763
1996	52	52	649,526	451,104	69.47	2,578	60	6,275	125	22,434	2,705
1999	52	52	638,555	435,065	69.12	2,903	62	12,711	139	29,771	2,681

## LIST OF COMMUNITIES

<u>COMMUNITY NAME</u>	<u>ELECTORAL DISTRICT</u>	<u>COMMUNITY NAME</u>	<u>ELECTORAL DISTRICT</u>
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Abercrombie	Pictou West	Allains Creek	Digby - Annapolis
Aberdeen	Inverness	Allen Heights	Chester - St. Margaret's
Abrams River	Argyle	Allen Hill	Cumberland South
Academy	Pictou East	Allendale	Shelburne
Acadia Mines	Colchester North	Alma	Pictou West
Acadiaville	Digby - Annapolis	Alpena	Annapolis
Addington Forks	Antigonish	Alpine Ridge	Inverness
Admiral Rock	Hants East	Alton	Colchester - Musq Valley
Advocate Harbour	Cumberland South	Amherst	Cumberland North
Afton	Antigonish	Amherst Point	Cumberland North
Afton Reserve	Antigonish	Amherst Shore	Cumberland North
Afton Station	Antigonish	Amirault Corner	Digby - Annapolis
Aikens	Colchester North	Amiraults Hill	Argyle
Ainslie Glen	Inverness	Anderson Mountain	Pictou East
Ainslie Point	Inverness	Annandale	Colchester North
Ainslieview	Inverness	Annapolis Royal	Annapolis
Alba	Inverness	Antigonish	Antigonish
Alba Station	Inverness	Antigonish Harbour	Antigonish
Albany	Annapolis	Antigonish Landing	Antigonish
Albany Cross	Annapolis	Antrim	Colchester - Musq Valley
Albert Bridge	Cape Breton West	Apple River	Cumberland South
Alder Cove	Digby - Annapolis	Arcadia	Yarmouth
Alder Point	Cape Breton the Lakes	Archibald	Colchester - Musq Valley
Aldershot	Kings North	Archibalds Mill	Guysborough - Pt. Hawkesbury
		Ardness	Pictou East